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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND NOTICE TO COMPLY

Sir:

This paper is in response to an Office Action dated May 27, 2005. A petition to extend the period for response for four months from June 27, 2005 to October 27, 2005 is enclosed herewith.

Election of Invention begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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Election of Invention:

Applicants provisionally elect the subject matter of Group III, with traverse.